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## BRITAIN'S HEAT STILL BREAKING RECORDS



The Guardsman's uniform is a trifle warm.



The most fortunate folk are those who can spend the day in the cool comfort of the sea.

Even our dustiest visitors  
find it hot.

A wise dog enjoying a thirst-quencher from the garden tap.



With the otter hounds—few lucky dogs were cooler hounds yesterday.

Sharing her sunshade with her wolf-dog friend at the  
championship show held yesterday at Tattersall's.A thoughtful London vanboy shading his  
horse's forehead with cabbage leaves.

Britain's heat wave continues steadily to add to its list of freshly-created records. The temperatures in London at noon yesterday and at the previous midnight were respectively the highest for many years and the greatest ever recorded. While holiday-makers

revel in the blazing sunshine, townsfolk are divided into those who denounce it as "terrible," and others who endure the heat with an "after all, one mustn't grumble." In addition to human beings, animals are feeling the excessive warmth acutely.

## HOTEL DRAMA OF SHOT "PRINCE."

### Inquest Verdict of Wilful Murder Against Wife.

### "JEALOUS COUPLE."

### Secretary's Story of Smacks and Insults.

"They used to insult and smack each other openly. It was an impossible life. Jealousy was the principal cause."

These statements were made by Said Enany, an Egyptian at the inquest at Westminster yesterday on Ali Kamel Fahmy, the wealthy young Egyptian who was found shot at the Savoy Hotel in the early hours of Tuesday morning. A verdict of wilful murder was returned against Madame Fahmy, the widow.

Said Enany said that early on Tuesday morning he heard Madame Fahmy crying, "Come quickly. I have shot at Ali."

Ali Kamel Fahmy was called Prince in Egypt on account of his philanthropy and lavish entertainments.

### "IMPOSSIBLE LIFE."

**Secretary on Family's Efforts To Separate the Couple.**

Marie Marguerite Fahmy, a Frenchwoman, was not present in court. She was represented by Mr. Freke Palmer.

The first witness, Said Enany, an Egyptian and secretary to Ali Kamel Fahmy, said the latter's address was Zamalek, near Cairo. He was a landowner and property agent.

Coroner: Was he very rich?—Well, yes; he had £40,000 this year and last year and £120,000 three or four years ago. His income was dependent on the rise and fall of cotton. Witness said Fahmy married in December last year Marie Marguerite Laurent, thirty-two, a French widow. The marriage took place in Cairo.

"What were their relations?" asked the coroner?—They had lived on very bad terms.

What was the cause of it?—Different causes. They disputed because of jealousy and for other reasons. They used to insult and smack each other openly. It was an impossible life. Jealousy was the principal cause.

"They quarrelled about trifles," witness proceeded.

### "DISTRESSING SCENES."

"His family got together, and they tried their best to get him to leave her—to have a separation and live quietly. They said to him it was a most impossible life to continue making distressing scenes openly everywhere."

"Each was jealous of the other. If she went out he would make remarks, and if he went out she would do the same."

Coroner: Have you seen him strike her with his fist only once; in Paris?

"I have seen her strike him?—Yes."

Then used to exchange hidings, witness added, with a smile.

Continuing, witness said that she had a revolver which she used always to keep on a table beside her bed.

She said she could not go about without it as she had a lot of jewellery. He also had a revolver, and it was generally locked up. In fact, he had it at his bedside.

"She had a revolver at the bedside," commented the coroner.

Witness said that when he had lunch with them at the hotel on Monday Ali and his wife were on very bad terms, insulting each other in the presence of the waiter.

### SHOPPING TRIP.

After lunch, witness continued, Ali went upstairs, and his wife begged witness to take her out shopping, as she could not speak English. They went, and she bought a few dresses to take back with her to France, having already bought the tickets for the journey.

The Coroner: Why was the going back to France?—She said for an operation.

Was she talking about leaving him?—Yes, she was always talking about being "fed up" and what a miserable life it was. In the evening they all went to Daly's Theatre, and had supper together on their return.

What was she like at the theatre?—She was very nervous all the time, and it seemed as if he were trying to pacify her.

Coroner: What was the next thing you know that happened?—First of all I heard the telephone ringing, and I heard a sudden voice calling "Hello, Ali." Then I heard a sudden voice calling "Hello, Ali."

"She said, 'Venez vite, venez vite j'ai tiré sur Ali.' (Come quickly, come quickly. I have shot at Ali.) Continuing in French, she said: 'I do not know how I did it.'

John Paul Beattie, head porter at the Savoy, said that as he came out of the lift at 2.30 on Tuesday morning the door of No. 42 opened and Ali and Madame came out of the room. He could see them in from the window.

He was walking quickly, and said to witness, "Look what she has done." He pointed to his left cheek, but witness could see nothing except a very slight red mark.

Madame spoke to witness in French, and pointed to both her eyes, but witness could see nothing wrong with them. She was in white evening dress and they were both very excited.

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## DEMPSEY AS "PRIZE."

### No Purse at Stake in Firpo-Willard Fight.

### ARMY OF SPECTATORS.

New York, Thursday.

One hundred thousand persons are expected to pay to-night to see the former heavy-weight champion, Jess Willard, fight Luis Angelito Firpo, champion of Argentina, for the honour of meeting in the ring.

The fight will take place in the Jersey City arena, and neither purse nor championship is at stake—a Dempsey fight is the only prize.

Enthusiastic fight "fans" who have arrived from Buenos Aires say that if Firpo loses their country will "go broke." The price of seats range from three to fifteen dollars.

Nine hundred policemen will handle the crowd, assisted by a thousand firemen. Four hundred reporters will be on duty inside to attend ticket holders.

Firpo is favourite at 3 to 5.

### STEAMER AND TUG CRASH

### Four Men Killed by Boiler Explosion Following Collision.

Four men were killed by an explosion on the Barry tug Assistance yesterday.

The explosion followed a collision with the Liverpool steamer Sagarto, which was being towed into Barry by the Assistance. The tug immediately began to founder, and though boats were lowered from the Sagarto, only three of the tug's crew were saved.

The dead men are Walter Anderson, chief engineer, Cambridge-street, Cardiff; Alfred Wright, second engineer, Earl-street, Cardiff; Ronald Smith, Gerry-street, Cardiff; and George Bevan, Oakley-street, Cardiff.

### £200,000 FOR TOWNS.

### Big Bequest by Sir Griffith Thomas to Swansea and Neath.

Sir Griffith Thomas, of Neath, Glamorgan, co-owner and shipping agent, who died last February, aged seventy-five, left estate of the gross value of £23,740, with net personalty £10,427.

After various bequests he directed that the residue of his property (£about £200,000) should accumulate for ten years, and, subject thereto, he left his residuary estate for the absolute use of his trustees.

He requested them to "apply and make use of such residue, both capital and income, to or for the promotion, endowment, maintenance and support of public or private charitable, educational, municipal or municipal institutions in the county borough of Swansea and the borough of Neath, or either of them."

### WILL SUIT TRAGEDY.

### Defendant's Suicide Announced During Hearing of Case.

The suicide of one of the parties to a will dispute was announced in the King's Bench Division yesterday.

The dispute is over the will of Mr. John Metcalfe, a Redcar tradesman, who left his money to his widow. The will was opposed by Mr. Fred Metcalfe, a son by a former marriage, and his sister.

Yesterday Mr. Willis, for the defence, announced that Mr. Fred Metcalfe was so unnerved by the fact that his father had made a will depriving him of the shop that he was occupying that he took his own life.

The defendants alleged undue influence on the widow's part, whom they refused to recognise as their father's wife.

### MARRIAGE OBSTACLES.

### Dr. Mary Scharlach on High Prices and Unsympathetic Landlords.

Dr. Mary Scharlach, speaking yesterday at the Anglo-Catholic Congress on marriage, said that at the present time the difficulties of conscientious young people were very great, incomes were small, prices were high, houses were difficult to find, landlords and employers looked coldly on children.

Divorce was sought as a remedy for the consequences of hasty and foolish marriages, for the emancipation of couples who were from the commencement evidently unsuited to each other, and to avoid the disasters entailed by desertion, imprisonment, insanity and drunkenness.

"Divorce," added Dr. Scharlach, "is wrong to the children of the marriage, who are thereby deprived of a father or a mother. This and other social aspects of the wrong done by divorce is well seen in America and Sweden, where it is cheap, easy and frequent."

### NEW SOVIET OFFICIALS.

The Soviet Central Executive Committee has accepted the following Council of People's Commissaries, states the Exchange—President Lenin; Vice Presidents Tsurupia, Rukhoff and Kameneff; Internal Affairs: Beloborodoff. The Commissariat of Nationalities has been replaced by a Council of Nationalities.

## LUCKY DOGS!

### Wool and Fur Coats Keep Wolf Dogs Cool.

### "TEMPERS" AT SHOW.

The most envied dogs in London yesterday were those at the Alsatian Wolf Dog Club's Show at the Empire, Leicester-square.

"Do these dogs not feel the heat?" *The Daily Mirror* asked Mrs. Rex Walker.

The wife of the vice-president of the club, who had three champions on exhibition, explained that they did not.

"They have a coat of wool underneath their fur which protects them from both cold and heat," said she. "In fact, they are 'all-weather' dogs."

This year's show was the most successful held, there being 450 entries from England, Germany, Austria and Holland.

Mr. H. A. de Groot (Belgium) was judge, and at times he had a difficult job, as the heat appeared to affect the dogs' tempers.

Lady Monica Bullough was present with her dog Marcus d'Abition and other exhibitors were Lady Edith Windham and Lady Marcia Black.

Summer toilets added bright touch of colour to the dogs, their coats being dyed in pink, light blue and pale green predominating.

There was a continual barking of noise from the galleries, where the dogs were kennelled, when a dog was led by to the ring the others tugged at their chains and howled their derision for a rival.

Mr. T. F. Beadle's Friends of the Pathway secured first prize in Class I. and Miss Lena Lytton's Cune vom Brunnenhof in the novice dog class.

### ANTHRAX FROM SHAVE?

### Inquest on Victim Adjourned for Brush Importer To Be Traced.

The inquest on Arthur Herbert Dennison Dyers, a warehouseman, who died from anthrax said to have been contracted from a shaving brush, had to be adjourned for the third time at Bradford yesterday, in order that the hair of the brush might be traced to the importer.

Both the manufacturer and the chemist who sold the brush received certificates that the hair was free from anthrax.

### FREED FROM DRY LINER.

### Members of Leviathan Crew Who Had a Merry 'Celebration' Ashore.

Members of the crew of the dry liner Leviathan "celebrated" their first night ashore, with the result that quite a number of them appeared yesterday at Southampton Police Court on charges of drunkenness, bad language and assault.

In addition, John Courtney, of Portsmouth; J. N. Smith of Shepherd's Bush, and S. C. Barnes, of Cheshunt, were charged with deserting the Aquitania in New York. Originally twenty-two summonses were issued.

The police found that fifteen of the wanted men were not on the Leviathan at all, and four of the remaining seven had left the ship and could not be traced.

The charges of desertion were adjourned, and the other offenders were fined.

### LORD BELPER WEDS.

### Blessing at Chapel Royal After Early Legal Ceremony.

As soon as the register office had opened in Henrietta-street Lord Belper arrived for his legal marriage to Miss Angela Mariota Tollmache, daughter of the Hon. Douglas and Mrs. Tollmache and an ardent sportswoman.

This civil ceremony was witnessed only by the necessary witnesses who accompanied the pair. Later there was a large reception of friends at Cadogan-place, and in the afternoon a reading of the marriage service and blessing by the Rev. Hugh Chapman at the Chapel Royal.

Miss Tollmache made a lovely bride in her white silk moire gown with long silver train and pure silk net veil. She chose a wreath of white gardenias in place of orange buds, and was attended only by two child trainbearers, Master Alistair Cameron and Miss Cynthia Hambridge, who were dressed in blue muslin.

### EXCURSIONS START.

### Cheap Tickets for Holiday-makers at Any Time to Anywhere.

Summer excursion programmes of the various railways came into operation yesterday. Practically every part of the country is covered by cheap tickets of varied character.

The formation of the four great groups has enabled comprehensive schemes of through trains and coaches to be arranged for the comfort and convenience of the holiday-maker.

Every kind of facility, from period excursions of two days to a week and a third for the double journey to do and half-day trips, at single fares have been provided.

"Tourist" or "go as you please" tickets, week-end tickets, circular tours, and combined rail, road and boat tickets afford a wide range of choice.

## DRAMATIC TURN IN MURDER TRIAL.

### Defence That Accused's Friend Fired Shots.

### HEATED DENIALS.

### Mason Tells Court He Never Had a Revolver.

That another man, after a quarrel, shot Jacob Dickey, a taxi-driver, in Brixton, was the dramatic defence put forward at the resumed trial at the Old Bailey yesterday of Alexander Campbell Mason, cabinet-maker, who is accused of the murder.

When James Vivian—who admitted that he had been in prison for housebreaking—gave evidence, counsel suggested that it was he who killed Dickey.

Vivian, who strongly denied this, had previously said that Mason admitted having fired seven times at Dickey and having killed him.

Mason, in evidence, denied that he ever had a revolver in his possession. The trial was adjourned until to-day.

### "FIRED SEVEN SHOTS."

### Witness Says Accused Man Admitted Shooting Taxi Driver.

James, or as he is better known, Eddie, Vivian, continuing his evidence, said that on May 9 Mason, whom he knew as Scottie Munro, said: "I must have some money to-night or I shall have no bed." When he left he had a pair of suede gloves which he had borrowed from the witness on the previous Sunday.

The young woman, Hetty Colquhoun, sat out later and witness went to bed. He was awakened by a rattling of the window-pane, and on going down he saw Mason. The finger of his left hand was bleeding, his clothes were dusty and there were bloodstains on his hat.

Witness said: Mason shot at him, he shot at the taxi-driver seven times, firing seven times, firing some of the shots as the man's head was between his legs.

Vivian continued: Mason said the revolver was "no good as it would not kill him," adding, "If it had been a .45 I could have done him and another half-dozen. It will be the rope for me all right, but I don't mind so long as I get plenty to eat in there."

In answer to Mr. Fox-Davies, cross-examining, Vivian admitted that he had done no work since January 25, excepting a little clerking for bookmakers and "a few little things."

Counsel: What are they?—Housebreaking.

Vivian admitted that he was convicted at London Sessions in January, 1921, and sentenced to fifteen months' imprisonment for flat-breaking.

Counsel: I put it to you that you went there in the taxi, that you had a dispute with Dickey, and that you fired the revolver and murdered him.

"It is a deliberate lie. There is no truth in it at all," replied Vivian warmly.

Hetty Colquhoun said that when Mason left their room at 7.30 on the evening of May 9 Vivian was in bed ill. He was still there when she left at 8.30 p.m. On her return at 11.30 Vivian and Mason were both there.

Mason said he had injured his finger and Vivian said he had been in a scrimmage with some Jews. Vivian had only one suit, which was not bloodstained.

She had tried to persuade Vivian to give up burglary.

On finishing her evidence, she fainted and was taken out of court.

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### OTHER NEWS IN BRIEF.

**Sixty-Four Dead in Rail Crash.**—Sixty-four persons were killed, says Reuter, in a railway disaster near Klausenburg (Roumania).

**Degree for Mr. Churchill.**—Edinburgh University yesterday conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws on Mr. Winston Churchill, Dean Inge and Viscount Novar.

**Safe in a Field.**—A Peterborough farmer discovered a safe weighing 2zwt., covered with scaffolding and open in a field. It contained twelve bunches of keys.

**Abandoned Baby Crime.**—Manslaughter against unknown persons was the Holloway inquest verdict yesterday on a few-days-old baby found wrapped in a bath towel in a garden.

**In Death United.**—Mr. and Mrs. P. Froggett, of Seghill (Durham), died within forty-eight hours of each other. The wife collapsed while out shopping and the husband died from shock.

# BRITAIN TO DRAFT HER OWN REPARATIONS PLAN

Premier Says It Will Be Submitted To Allies with Least Possible Delay.

"UNITED ACTION SO FAR AS IS POSSIBLE."

Government Hopeful That France and Belgium Will Co-operate—Italy in Agreement.

The Premier, in the Commons yesterday, made his anxiously-awaited announcement of British policy in regard to reparations and the occupation of the Ruhr.

After declaring that Britain was still determined to make Germany pay to the limit of her capacity, Mr. Baldwin said the Government were convinced that continuance of the present situation was fraught with grave peril to Europe.

The Government, therefore, had informed France and Belgium that they themselves would draft a reply to the last German offer. These proposals "would be submitted to the Allies with the least possible delay, and, so far as united action was possible, Britain would continue to pursue it."

"We are hopeful," added the Premier, "of obtaining the concurrence of France and Belgium. We have every reason to believe that the views of Italy are in substantial agreement with our own."

## BERLIN OFFER AS BASIS OF NEW PROPOSALS.

Premier: We Are Not Widely Separated from France.

### JOINT POLICY THE BEST.

To a crowded House of Commons last night the Premier made the declaration of British policy in regard to reparations and the French occupation of the Ruhr, which will have a vital bearing on the future of the Entente. He said:

There will, I believe, be general agreement to these propositions:

That the period of conflict should as soon as possible be terminated.

That the indefinite occupation by one country of the territory of another in time of peace is a phenomenon rare and regrettable in itself to which an honourable end should as soon as possible be found.

That the debtor should not merely be called upon to pay his debts, but should be placed in a position where he can do so.

That his capacity—where it is in doubt—should be tested and determined, and

That united efforts should be made to accomplish these ends.

### THREE NEEDS FOR PEACE.

Peace will not finally be obtained and recovery will not be ensured until a solution has been found to three great questions. They are:

1. Payment of reparations.
2. Settlement of the inter-Allied debts.
3. Security of pacified Europe.

It is these three questions that the attention of the world should be turned. In the pursuit of them the H.M. Government are so far from desiring to deprive France and Belgium of their legal claims that they wish to assist them in their realisation.

Our desire is for advance if it can be made, and for finality if it can be attained.

In these aspirations, as well as in our view of the matter, we are of course of obtaining the concurrence of France and Belgium, no less than that of Italy.

What, then, are the steps which we think ought to be taken? The German Note of June 7 proposed an investigation of Germany's capacity to pay by an impartial body, coupled with an engagement to pay the amounts determined, and it further contained the offer of a series of concrete guarantees.

### NOT WIDELY SEPARATED IN PRINCIPLE.

Understanding that the French and Belgian Governments are not disposed to take the initiative in suggesting a reply—although we would gladly have welcomed any such action on their part—we have informed those Governments, as also the Italian Government, that we are willing to assume the responsibility of preparing a draft reply ourselves.

Thinking, however, as we do, to the view which we expressed on the last occasion—that united action is better than separate or isolated action—we shall submit the reply, with the least possible delay, to our Allies.

In formulating these views H.M. Government are not without hope that they may be expressing Allied sentiments as well as their own.

We do not believe that, in principle, we are widely separated—if at all—from them. Divergence of method should not be incapable of solution.

So far as united action is possible, we shall continue to pursue it.

We shall confidently invite the sympathetic consideration of the whole of our Allies and of all interested States to proposals which will have no other aim than the pacification of Europe and the recovery of an exhausted world.

## READY TO COMPEL UTMOST PAYMENT BY GERMANY.

### Cabinet View That Present Situation Is Perilous.

### RUHR OPPOSITION REASONS.

In his review of the general reparations situation—which preceded the proposals outlined in the preceding column—the Premier's chief remarks were:

It cannot be made too clear, in the interests alike of the Powers concerned and of any who may hope to profit by exploiting differences between them, that the sole ground of divergence is as to the best effective means of realising the ends which are vital to all, and upon which all are in agreement.

These ends are—as they have remained throughout—the payment of reparations and the security of pacified Europe. These ends are as determined as any of our Allies that Germany must make reparations for damage done during the war to the fullest extent of her capacity.

We have never wavered on this point. I do not believe that our people ever will.

Indeed, we go further, and we are ready—as we have said on many occasions, and as was repeated at Paris in January last—to use every measure to compel Germany to pay up to the amount of her capacity.

### SPEAKING FRANKLY.

To ensure them the Allies have grudged nothing in the past, nor will they grudge anything in the future. This responsibility is acknowledged, and is shared in equal measure by France, by Italy, by Belgium and by ourselves.

Whether it is the British or the French who bear the full measure upon the French and British nations, by virtue of the great sacrifices which they made side by side in the years of trial, by the intimacy of fact and memory which unite them to-day, and—not least—by the experience which these two ancient civilisations have shared throughout the centuries.

A similar unity of thought and action finds us in the present emergency joined to our other Allies. Our efforts are in no respect divergent to our own common desire for settlement and pacification.

We can speak together frankly. We are conscious, however, as a business nation, that if we ask Germany to pay in excess of her capacity we shall not succeed.

We and our Allies will be the main sufferers, and we are firmly convinced that methods which can only result in the ruin of Germany will be fatal to this country, to our Allies and to the whole of Europe.

### THE RUHR OCCUPATION.

From the beginning we have made it clear that, in our opinion, the occupation of the Ruhr was not calculated to produce the maximum amount of reparation payment for the Allies.

In January we made in Paris an offer which we regarded as a very generous settlement in order to avoid what seemed to us to be an economic disaster.

That offer was rejected by our Allies, and since then we have stood aside animated by a spirit of sincere loyalty to the alliance which has been, and continues to be, in our opinion, the main stay for Europe's peace.

Many of the consequences which were then anticipated did not come to fulfilment.

The Allies are obtaining less reparation than they did before the occupation. What reparation they are receiving is being exacted at the price of the growing dislocation of the German economic system, and—it seems probable—of the future total collapse of that system itself.

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Jess Willard (left) and Louis Firpo, the Argentine, who yesterday met in a boxing bout with purse to decide which shall meet Dempsey.



## HOTTEST DAY FOR TWELVE YEARS.

Heat Wave Breaks Its Own Records.

### 94 IN THE SHADE.

### A Nation in Shirt Sleeves—Midnight Bathing at Thanet.

TO-DAY'S FORECAST.—Mainly fine and warm. Fog in places.

The hottest day for twelve years—that was yesterday's record.

From nine in the morning till late in the evening the thermometer never dropped below the 80 mark. Most of the time it was nearer 90deg. in the shade.

In Lincolnshire a temperature of 94deg. was recorded, and in London the mercury rose to 91deg.

London had a good preparation for this new outburst of the heat wave, for it had passed through the hottest night since a date in July, 1900, when the temperature never fell below 86deg.—a record which was again equalled.

But London felt none the cooler for its foretaste of what was to come.

The business world was a shirt-sleeved community. In offices everybody's jacket or waistcoat was to be seen. Even dignified stockbrokers and magnates of industry bowed to the inevitable. They took advantage of their position by removing their collars also.

The Strand seldom allows itself to show feeling, but it was obviously in agreement with a handsomely-dressed young woman who was shopping without stockings.

### ICES—"SOLD OUT."

The rush for ices at the lunch hour was easily a record. In nearly every town stocks ran low long before the day was over. One big London restaurant exhausted its day's supply by shortly after midday.

In most of the courts judges and counsel disposed with wig and gown, but at Clerkenwell County Court a man entered wearing a heavy overcoat.

Boys selling fans made their appearance at the great railway stations and did a roaring trade.

Midnight bathing has become the vogue in Thanet. Every evening after dark on the sea-shore may be seen scores of holiday-makers paddling and swimming. When the clock struck twelve last night the streets were dotted with scores of men who were unable to sleep because of the heat.

The number of cases of collapse owing to the heat was not so high yesterday as on previous days. In one City restaurant, however, three waitresses fainted within ten minutes.

After attending a committee meeting of the Fulham Branch of the British Legion on Wednesday night, Mr. Thomas Albert Gadsby, secretary and founder, suddenly dropped dead.

### HEAT KILLS CHILD.

Many London schools held classes in the open air yesterday, the heat in the classrooms being too oppressive. Many of the infant classes were allowed an hour's sleep during the afternoon.

When Dora Elsie Lye, the young girl described as the "heat baby," was playing in the street without a hat, she complained of the heat and afterwards became drowsy, had fits, and died. The medical evidence at the inquest yesterday was that death was due to cerebral congestion owing to the heat.

Heavy rain fell, accompanied by lightning and thunder, during the afternoon at Pontefract.

**Ninety Houses Destroyed by Flood.**—In the Spanish town of Logrono, 1,000 houses have been demolished by the floods. The whole town round Saragossa has been transformed into a lake, and thirty houses in the suburbs have been demolished. Railway services are stopped.

### THREE-YEAR-OLD DANCERS.

### Princess Mary Sees a Medley of Colour and Youthful Beauty.

Princess Mary, wearing a pretty mauve frock and hat, sat fanning herself with a programme yesterday afternoon in a box at Wyndham's Theatre while watching the children's dancing troupe put on a medley of colour and youthful beauty.

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The spectacle on the stage was a delightful medley of colour and youthful beauty. The dancers, pupils of Miss Vacani, ranged from self-conscious tots of three years to blithe little Mayfair misses of eleven or so.

Amongst them were the daughter of the Marchioness of Headfort, the children of the Marchioness of Litchfield, the Countess of Courtenay's daughter, the two children of the Viscountess Bury, Viscountess Curzon's daughter and the children of the Lady Theo Cadogan.

Many fashionable people occupied the stalls and boxes. Lady Diana Duff Cooper sold programmes.



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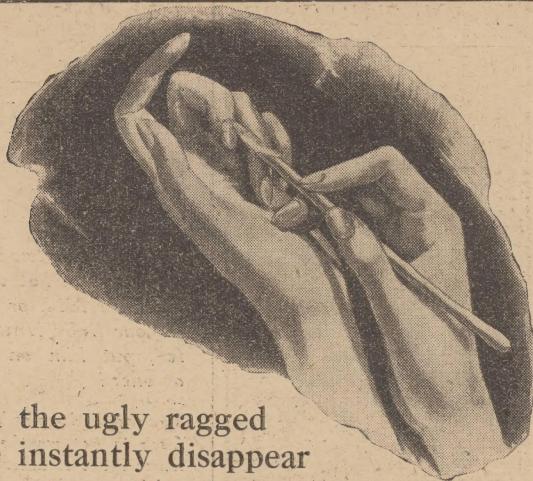
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## SINGAPORE AGAIN.

RECENT debates in Parliament have more than ever convinced the public that the Government is making a big mistake in persisting with the "Singapore base" extravagance.

Particularly, the discussion in the House of Lords showed that no reasonable defence can be produced for this piece of folly.

All the taxpayer got to assure his anxiety was a series of very foolish and undignified jokes by Lord Linlithgow, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, and a more dignified, but not much more reasonable, discourse from Lord Salisbury about the "conflicting" demands of national defence and national economy."

"Somehere a line must be fixed," said the latter.

We agree. But why fix at Singapore a line which, for defensive purposes, ought to be drawn along our coasts, or, if you like, in the air above them?

The increased cost of our aerial defences would hardly affect the taxpayer were the money to be economised in other directions.

We can—or we must—afford "national defence," if we do not aim at the defence of the whole world; of tropical seas, as of Mesopotamian deserts; of Palestinian visions; of cities and tribes remote from our own shores. On the other hand we cannot afford to defend ourselves at home if we squander money all over the world, in obedience to the life-on-the-ocean-wave type of believer in unsinkable battleships.

These arguments, as well as the needed warning against a new competition in armaments, were very forcibly put by Lord Wimborne, Lord Grey, and Lord Haldane the other night. All to no purpose! In reply these experienced men got jokes about biscuits and gruyère cheese and vague talk about imaginary "lines" drawn all over the world.

We can only conclude that the defunct or diehard school of world-strategists has quenched the common-sense element in the Government.

It is a pity, and we fear that the Government will repent the price it has had to pay for the support of men who have absolutely no influence in the country.

## HEAT SUGGESTION.

WE believe that the excellent M. Coué has many disciples in this country. At least, we hope that thousands of once ailing people have grown better and better since they first heard of him and *it*—meaning auto-suggestion.

But why do we only apply his principles to our health? Why not also to the weather?

In every place and every moment, if we liked, we might grow cooler and cooler. Instead—what happens?

We read about the heat, we talk about it, we salute one another with such hoary greetings as "Hot enough for you?" or, with tragic moans about it's being "awful" and "worse-to-day than yesterday." And as we do this, we grow hotter and hotter, inevitably.

The puffing man, the fainting woman, the flusters and moans must not suggestionize themselves and us at this rate and in this manner.

Let them reform their clothes and diet, carry fans, and walk leisurely along the delightful sunny streets. Let them say, "Isn't it glorious!"

After all, they bewailed the absence of summer. Now they've got it. And holidays by sea and in the fields are still to come.

## A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Since Time is not a person we can overlook when he is past, let us honour him with mirth and cheerfulness of heart while he is passing.—

## THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

### How Men Dress in the Heat—Women and Church-Going—What to Drink—Cooling Games.

#### HOT WEATHER DRINKS.

SURELY it is more than absurd to suggest that one should drink a bottle of ale or stout on a hot day?

Any sensible person will know that alcohol heats the blood rather than cools it. One cannot do better than to drink a cup of tea. It may make one feel uncomfortably hot at first, but it leaves one refreshed afterwards.

For men who simply cannot refrain from drinking alcohol—and there are many—I can only suggest iced lager beer.

NOT A PUSSYFOOT.

#### AND STILL THEY DANCE!

VISITING various restaurants and dance clubs during the week-end, I found people still dancing in spite of the heat.

There are people who dance during tea, and also during dinner, and continue to do so all

#### THE RELIGIOUS SEX.

IT is to be hoped that the vicar of St. Matthew's, Westminster, is alone in his opinions expressed in your issue of the 10th inst.

That women are more religious than men has been generally conceded by various leaders of thought. May I suggest that Mr. Hankey unconsciously subscribes to this doctrine when he says that women, in their life of many jobs, place their church-going amongst "normal duties." With men, with their own job, regard it as an "extra."

One naturally expects, women in vast numbers at the Anglo-Catholic Congress, as, indeed, at any religious demonstration, for without their support, spiritual and financial, the movement could not have attained its present proportions.

In this age women assuredly are not more conventional than men (vide the daily Press), and certainly women who go to church do not go as slaves of convention. As a woman and a

#### THE ETON AND HARROW MATCH BEGINS TO-DAY.



And we give a prophetic report of it from the point of view of a younger sister.

Catholie, I unhesitatingly say that most women who go to church do so with an infinitely greater conception of service than that ascribed to them by your correspondent. EVANGELINE KING.

Stratford-on-Avon.

#### HEROES OF THE HEAT.

MAY I congratulate the few brave men who actually dare to wear sensible suits during the heat wave?

It has always astounded me to see what a man actually can put up with in the way of clothing—some are even reluctant to leave off waistcoats!

Is it fear of criticism, I wonder? E. J.

WHY a man should be termed a hero because he wears sensible clothes I do not know.

I am afraid, however, that the majority of those who wear white suits in London are not Englishmen, as the inhabitants of these isles do not usually possess white suits, and the heat spells are usually too short and variable to permit of one being made in time. ALPACA.

#### NOTHING UNUSUAL!

"MUMMY, did you hear the thunder, last night?" was the simple question put to me by my little girl after the great storm of the night before.

She evidently thought one might easily not have noticed anything at all unusual! And she slept almost all through the racket.

CAMPDEN HILL-SQUARE, W.8. HER. MOTHER.

## HEAT WAVES IN BIG CITIES.

### SOME COMPENSATIONS FOR TOWN WORKERS.

BY ALEXIS BROOME.

HEAT waves are admittedly a nuisance; but that is no reason why we Londoners should be always murmuring against our miserable lot and pitying ourselves as their special victims.

If only we were in the country, we keep telling ourselves—by the sea, up the river, or on the hills—all would be well, and we should be feeling comfortable.

But should we? Is there not some confusion of thought in our minds? Are we not comparing London at a time when it is swelteringly hot with the country when it is only moderately warm?

It can be just as hot in the country as in London. It can even be hotter; and it is nonsense to pretend that great heat in the country interferes with no one's comfort.

On the contrary, it interferes with everybody's comfort, and there are annoyances to be endured in the country from which Londoners are exempt, and alleviations procurable in town which are out of the reach of our country cousins.

It is easier in London than in the country to obtain the solace of an ice-cream soda at a moment's notice, and it is also less of an effort to move from one place to another.

In London on a hot day no one need ever walk more than a few yards.

We have our choice of trains, and trams, and motor-buses, even if we cannot afford taxicabs. We have our Tubes, which are as cool as cellars. Wherever we wish to go we can generally contrive to get there without doing much in the way of toiling in the sun.

Most streets have a shady side.

#### NO INSECTS!

But many country roads have no shady side; and the country cousin, whether his errand be one of business or pleasure, has too often to choose between walking or bicycling along a dusty route, with the result that he is damp and sticky when he reaches his destination.

Moreover, the Londoner has one other great advantage over the dweller in the country in the fact that he is never seriously molested by insects; and these are capable of making life a burden even in a place which looks like an earthly paradise.

One never needs to walk warily in Bond-street for fear of wasps; whereas in the country wasps sometimes make lanes impassable, and often make it impossible to read a newspaper out of doors by buzzing between it and the reader.

In Switzerland—a country in which most of us long to be basking in hot weather—they have horse flies as big as hornets, differing from hornets in their readiness to attack without provocation, and horribly addicted to biting the calves of those who go about in knickerbockers.

And then there are the midges and mosquitoes!

A sudden incursion of these enemies of mankind made it impossible a few days ago for the inhabitants of the New Forest to sit in their gardens in the evenings.

A London garden is never made uninhabitable in that way.

Let us remember these compensations when we are tempted to complain in these torrid days of a rather belated summer.

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## THE RUHR STATEMENT.

Famous Author's Visit—A "Daily Mirror" Beauty—Eton and Harrow Day.

THE ANXIOUSLY-AWAITED STATEMENT of British policy on Reparations and the Ruhr was duly made by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons last evening and by the Marquis Curzon in the House of Lords. What France will think of it remains to be seen. The best summary I heard of it last night came from the lips of Lord Grey of Fallodon. He described it as "friendly in tone but grave in substance." Certainly it excited no enthusiasm among the rank and file of the Conservative Party.

### Premier's Statement.

That the Prime Minister fully realised the extremely delicate character of the pronouncement was evident from the fact that every word of it had been carefully committed to paper, and that he deemed it wise to add nothing to the document while on his feet at the Table. It took him just a quarter of an hour to read it. He spoke quite clearly, in measured tones.

### Perspiring Listeners.

It was oppressively hot in the House, and perspiring men on the overflowing benches fanned themselves with Order Papers in a vain endeavour to reduce the "stuffiness" of the atmosphere. Up in the galleries women's summer garments—one woman was in black and flaming red—gave splashes of colour to a somewhat sombre picture. Almost every woman had brought a fan with her. Fortunately nobody fainted.

### Notable Strangers.

There were many notabilities in the thronged assembly, but I looked in vain for the Comte de Sainte-Aulaire, the representative of the French Republic, and for Dr. Stahmer, the German Ambassador. Lord D'Abenon, our Ambassador to Berlin, was in the Peers' Gallery, and on the other side of the clock were Signor Tittoni, the President of the Italian Senate, and Colonel Fayav, of the French Embassy. Count Boratoff, General Gough and Sir Charles Townshend were also upstairs.

### Lord Dunedin's House.

Lord Dunedin, who married Miss Jean Findlay yesterday, has a fine house. Rather curiously it is in Edinburgh, not in London. Though he has been a Lord of Appeal for ten years, he has never had a domicile in London, except a flat under the same roof as the business premises of two firms of tailors. Lady Dunedin is tall, good-looking and intellectual.

### American Author's Visit.

Mr. Joseph Hergesheimer, who is soon to visit London, has an undeniable claim to be regarded as a writer of genius, if one may judge him by his infinite capacity for taking pains. Inspired by a dogged belief in himself, he wrote for fourteen years without having a single MS. accepted. To-day—nine years after the publication of his first novel—he is generally acknowledged to be the finest American novelist of the time.

### His Career.

Born in 1880, of Pennsylvania Dutch extraction, he was reared in a Presbyterian home. Owing to ill-health in early years, he received little systematic education. He started to study painting and went to Venice, but subsequently returned to the States to devote himself entirely to writing. Incidentally, his latest story, "The Bright Shawl"—a glowing tale of Havana—will shortly be seen in a film version with Dorothy Gish and Richard Barthelmess in the leading roles.

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# TO-DAY'S GOSSIP

News and Views About Men, Women and Affairs in General

### Ballroom of Hydrangeas.

The cream and gold ballroom of the Ladies' Carlton Club was beautifully decorated for the ball last night with pink and white hydrangeas. Roses were chosen for the hall and marble staircase, while the two supper-rooms were decorated with sweet peas. The Duchess of Sutherland and Mrs. Stanley Baldwin received more than 300 guests, who included the Countess of Anchester, Viscount Younger, Sir Laming and Lady Worthington-Evans, Viscountess Fitzalan of Derwent and the Countess of Midleton.

### Modest.

When such musical sisters as those named Harrison issue an invitation with "A very little music" written on the card it looks like modesty. However, their party at Foyles Riding next Friday is for the purpose of inaugurating a music-room made from a barn which is the annex to their lovely Elizabethan home at Oxted, and Princess Victoria, Sir Edward Elgar and Mr. Eugene Goossens will be among the guests.

### Duke's Lucky Number.

The Duke of Portland is superstitious about the number "13." He won the Derby on that date, and proposed to his wife also on the 13th of the month. That is why to-day has been chosen for the Rhine Cathedral Fund collection in the West End, as he is president, and the organiser, Mrs. Le Blond, who is also the Duke's cousin, has the same luck on Fridays. All her best "peaks"—she used to be a great Alpine climber—were accomplished on Fridays or thirtens.

### A Beauty of 1919.

A friend just back from California tells me that he met at the moving picture colony of Hollywood Miss Doris Stone, one of the prize-winners in our 1919 Beauty Contest. Miss Stone has played small parts with the "stars" in several pictures, and her latest part is in Hugo Ballin's big film, "Vanity Fair." She hopes shortly to visit her people in England.

### Madagascar.

There will shortly be shown at the cinemas a very interesting film, which depicts the life of Madagascar, Africa's emerald isle, which, as few people here realise, is the third largest island in the world. The island is peopled by six different primitive races, most of whom believe in such things as witchcraft.

### Americans.

Among the newly-arrived Americans of this week is Mr. John Davis, who was the last U.S.A. Ambassador, and certainly one of the most popular. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth—she was Roosevelt's eldest daughter—are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who have taken Brook House, Lady Louis Mountbatten's lovely place in Park-lane for a month, and will entertain there.

### Churchman. Millionaire.

Probably the wealthiest man who is attending the Anglo-Catholic Congress this week is Mr. Fiske from New York. He is president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, the association in America that carries out a well-thought-out programme for giving instruction in public health as a means of increasing the length of life in the U.S.A. Mr. Fiske is reputed to be worth several millions.

### Only a Story!

They tell a story of the Irish Governor-General which is intended to illustrate the democratic character of the new regime in Dublin. An important personage called at the Viceregal Lodge in a luxurious limousine and asked the sentry if he could see the Governor-General. "I don't know," replied the soldier, and then, turning to his superior officer, a colonel, he asked, "Mike, do you know is Tim at home?"

### Plenty for Plumbers.

"It's an ill wind—" The wind that blew the chimneys down the other night has blown plenty of money into the pockets of the plumbers, who have many roofs to repair. A plumber told me yesterday that it was some years since he had been so busy.

### Lord's Again.

To-day it is the turn of the young people at Lord's, where Eton and Harrow meet for the hundred and third time. Eton has won forty-four matches and Harrow thirty-nine. Both sides are of medium quality this year, and it may be a close game. M. R. Bridgeman, who captains the Etonians, is the Home Secretary's son, and R. Kennerley Rumford, who has also been playing for the Eton eleven this season, is the son of Dame Clara Butt, the singer.

### The Harrow Side.

Harrow have an all-round side captained by P. H. Stewart Brown, and the famous cricketing family of Crawley is represented in the team by K. E. Crawley. The Hon. S. A. Maxwell, Lord Farthing's heir, is twelve, and two brothers—R. E. C. and J. C. Butterworth—also find places in the eleven from "The Hill."

### Behind the Hats.

There will, of course, be a fashionable gathering at Lord's to-day, but I doubt if the general cricket-loving public will trouble to go. The arrangements on the famous ground do not, judging by the conditions prevailing at the Varsity match, encourage the crowd or, if it comes to that, the hundreds of poor persons who like to be present either. Two shillings is not a lot of money, but it is quite enough for permission to stand behind waggonettes filled with large hats and sunshades, which completely obliterate the view.

### How He Qualified.

An interesting story was related in the pavilion at Lord's as to how T. C. Lowry, who is considered one of the crack Cambridge batsmen, decided to qualify for Somerset. He was asked where he lived in New Zealand and said Wellington, and the questioner said: "Then, of course, you can play for Somerset." And he does play for Somerset.

### From My Diary.

Keep thyself perfectly still however it may storm around thee.—Goethe.



Lady Dorothy Wood, wife of the Hon. Edward Wood, Minister of Education, and sister of the Earl of Onslow.



Miss Florence Glossop, daughter of the late Sir Augustus Harcourt, is joining the Henry Bayntun Shakespeare Company.

### Mr. Angus Bowes-Lyon.

Mr. Philip Durham, whom I met last night at the Devonshire House Cabaret, was at Eton with young Angus Bowes-Lyon and knew him well. He told me that Bowes-Lyon was a very good cricketer, and played for the first eleven occasionally, although he only got his second eleven colours. He was in Mr. C. M. Wells' house, and it was at school that he first met Mr. R. L. Tritton. From Eton he went to Sandhurst, and then into the Coldstream Guards.

### At Devonshire House.

It was Mr. Durham who organised the Cabaret show at Devonshire House last night, in which Miss Beatrice Lillie, Blaney and Farrar and Bruce Bairnsfather appeared. Lord Hawke, the famous cricketer, was one of the O.C.s transport, and lent his car to fetch artists from the theatres. The two days' fete on behalf of the Winter Distress League was a great success. Women of title sold vegetables from barrows side by side with costers from the East End.

### If and When?

Two politicians celebrate their birthdays today: Viscount Long, who is sixty-nine, and Mr. Sidney Webb, who is sixty-four. The latter gentleman will certainly hold Cabinet office if the Labour Party should be called upon to form a Government while he is still young enough. It used to be assumed that he would be Minister of Labour, but it is said that his heart is set upon the Foreign Office.

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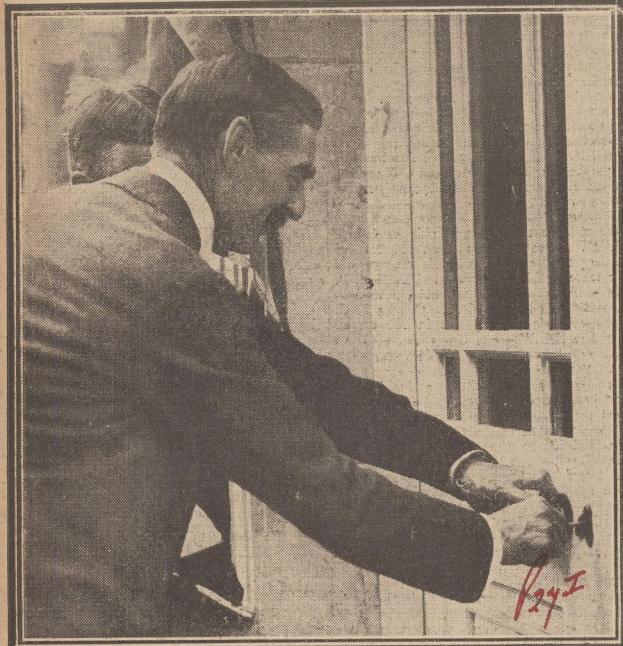
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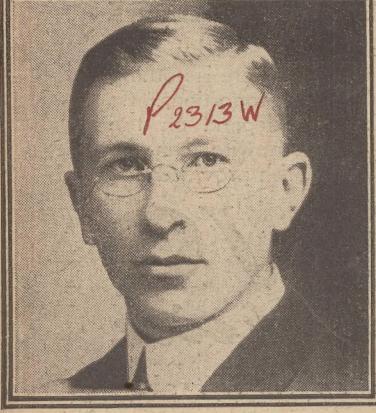
## HEALTH MINISTER AT ACTON'S NEW HOSPITAL



Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Minister of Health, unlocking with a gold key the hospital extension at Gunnersbury-lane, Acton, yesterday, after unveiling a war memorial.



The Health Minister speaking. He was accompanied by Mrs. Neville Chamberlain.



**ACTRESS' AMAZING CURE.**—Top: Miss Constance Collier, the actress, who has returned to London, restored to health by the insulin treatment discovered by Dr. R. G. Bunting (below). Five months ago her life was despaired of.



The scene in the new hospital grounds. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who was accorded a civic welcome, is in the centre on the platform; and is wearing a grey top hat.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)



**F. O. BAKER** (second from camera), of Uxbridge, winning hurdles.



**Corporal Wale** (centre), of Flowerdown, winning 100 yards.

**R.A.F. ATHLETICS.**—At the R.A.F. championships held at Uxbridge.

## THE KING AND QUEEN



The Queen during her presentation at Edinburgh of the Jubilee Institute. With her are the Duchess



**DUKE'S NEPHEW WED.**—Mr. Victor Gordon-Lennox, only son of the late Lord Walter Gordon-Lennox and nephew of the Duke of Richmond, with his bride, Mrs. Dorothy Bridge, after their wedding at the Chapel Royal, Savoy, yesterday.

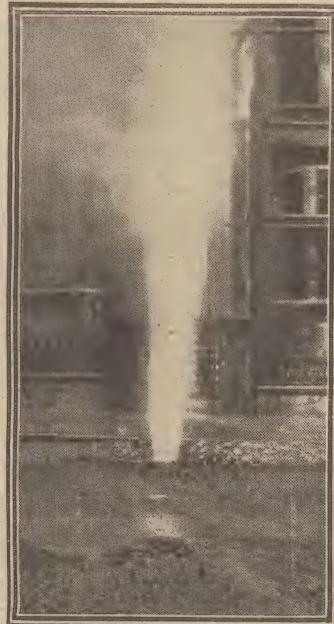
## IN EDINBURGH

## A WATER HOLE!

## MARRIAGE OF PEER OF 73



to Scottish nurses of Queen Victoria's and the Countess of Mar and Kellie.



The bursting of a water main in Ainger-road, Primrose Hill, yesterday, produced a huge fountain—a most refreshing sight. The water was thrown right over an adjoining house.



Lord Dunedin, Keeper of the Great Seal of Scotland, and his bride, Miss Jean Findlay, Director of Scottish Savings under the Treasury, after their wedding yesterday in the private chapel of the Archbishop of Canterbury at Lambeth Palace.



Farm-hands and pupils gathering their harvest of lavender.



Captain Lucas gives a little lecture on lavender.



Squaring off the ends of the bundles with a guillotine.

**IN THE DEEP.**—Mr. F. O. Roberts, M.P. for Greenwich, interested in a demonstration of the shot-firing apparatus, aboard the latest type of which was inspected by a party of M.P.s at Westminster yesterday.

**SWEET-SCENTED FIELDS.**—Two ex-officers have started a lavender farm at Durrington, near Worthing, and are now reaping a great harvest of this fragrant plant. (Daily Mirror photographs.)



**SHOT "PRINCE" INQUEST.**—Said Enany (centre), after giving evidence at the inquest yesterday on Ali Kamel Fulany who was found shot at the Savoy Hotel. See news pages.



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# PIP, SQUEAK AND WILFRED

A Happy Family of Pets Whose Comical Adventures Are Famous Throughout the World

## BELOW FREEZING POINT!

In the Country.

**MY DEAR BOYS AND GIRLS,**  
I have decided that there are some men whom I envy during this scorching weather. I read about one of them in my paper this morning. He works all the year round in a huge ice store, 150 feet below the level of the street.

He has to wear a fur overcoat, thick winter clothing and pair of thigh boots. Just think of it! But then, you see, the temperature is 17deg. below zero being possible.

There are other jobs, too, which sound rather attractive just now. For instance, I dare say many of you have thought how jolly it would be if you owned an ice-cream barrow of your own. As a matter of fact, I don't expect this is half such a cool job as one might imagine.

Sometimes I have thought I should like to be

a diver. I expect divers get rather warm when they have got all their outfit on, but somehow the very thought of exploring the bottom of the ocean and walking amongst the seaweed and fishes makes one feel cool.

But, there, it's no good wishing. When I'm feeling as hot as I possibly can, I thank my lucky stars that I'm not a cook or a Turkish bath attendant.

Next week I dare say it will be raining. And then we shall all be grumbling and saying "Call this summer!" Why can't we have some fine weather?" Oh, dear, what funny people we are—some of us are never satisfied.

By the way, a London newsman has sent me a booklet, "Twenty-Five Hints on Keeping Cool." I've tried them all, but without success. Thanks the same!

*Your affectionate Uncle Dick.*

## SQUEAK HAS THE "LAST LAUGH" FOR ONCE!



1. Seeing an old sheep in a field Wilfred wanted to be friendly. Squeak, as usual, was—



2.—rather nervous, but Pip only laughed. "Who's frightened of an old sheep?" he boasted.



3. He lifted Wilfred to the sheep's back, so that he could have a ride.



4. But that sheep was old, and the heat must have ruined its temper. It kicked—



5.—Wilfred off, and then turned its attention to Pip. It looked so fierce that our—



6.—famous dog simply bolted for safety! Squeak and Wilfred couldn't help laughing at him.

## THE ENCHANTED PLATE.

And Why It Decided to "Leave the Service."

"I DON'T like it," cried Oliver, looking as if he meant what he said. "Take the nasty stuff away!"

And before his patient papa could do as he was asked, Oliver struck the edge of his plate with his spoon. The poor thing tilted up, split all the soup into Oliver's lap, and then fell clatter-bang on to the floor. Everybody in the room who saw this terrible event was too much troubled by it to notice the plate roll across the carpet into the passage, down the passage into the garden, along the grassy path through the gate, and up the dusty road till it passed from sight over the top of the hill where the tall trees grew.

Oliver roared. Oliver screwed up his eyes and

shouted. Oliver opened his mouth, as bad-tempered people sometimes do when they want to let everybody know exactly how they feel.

While Oliver was behaving so shockingly, the plate rolled on its journey, to stop at last at the door of a little cottage many miles away. It had hardly settled down when a small, hoy, breathless and ragged creature entered the room as well. Picking up the plate, he carried it into the house.

"Oh, mother!" he cried. "I'm as hungry as a lion, and dinner will taste nicer if I eat it off this pretty plate."

"There is very little dinner for you to have, Oliver," my mother said to him. "But you shall have it off that plate, which was no doubt left at the door by Mrs. Sharer, who promised to lend me one."

So this Oliver had his dinner of bread and lard off the enchanted plate, and very much he enjoyed it, for he really was hungry.

Then his mother washed the plate and put it aside to return to Mrs. Sharer; but no sooner had she left the room than it dropped on to the floor again and rolled back to Oliver the first's house. On arriving it sank on to the carpet, and broke into three pieces, uncurling as it settled down.

"I've given one good boy his dinner before going out of the 'service,' and I don't intend to give another dinner to a bad one."

And, of course, it never did, for the maid came in a moment later and carried the fragments away to the dustbin.

## TWO "POSERS."

Teacher: Now, can any of you tell me what we get out of the earth besides iron and coal?

The New Boy: Please, sir—worms!

Dick: Uncle, is it true that a man born in Poland is called a Pole?

Uncle: Of course, my boy.

Dick: Then I suppose a man born in Holland is a hole, isn't he?



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## MASON'S DENIALS IN TAXI MURDER TRIAL.

"Never Possessed a Revolver in My Life."

### STORY OF BEING IN GAOL.

(Continued from page 2.)

Hitherto omitted parts of a statement by Mason when he was taken to Brixton were given by Sergeant Waters. Witness said that Mason made the following statement:—

I am down and out. I only came out of prison last Thursday, and arrived in London on Saturday morning, went round to Edith Place, and we arranged to do some shopping there. It is the only way to live now. I have had a good taste of prison. My people will have nothing to do with me. We have been to several places, but I have lost heart. The fear of being caught takes my breath away.

Mr. Fox-Davies: When you arrested him he had not the faintest idea it was for anything he had done himself? He thought it was something he had done with Vivian?—Yes.

Mr. Fox-Davies, in opening the case for the defence, said: "The defence is that Vivian's illness was faked, that Mason and Vivian went to Victoria, that Vivian arranged for Mason to meet him at Brixton, that while waiting he saw a scuffle between Vivian and Dickey and the shots fired, that he ran away on seeing something serious had occurred."

#### MASON TELLS HIS STORY.

Mason was then called. He stated that he was convicted at London Sessions in 1921 and passed under the Probation Act.

Mr. Fox-Davies: Vivian says you wrote to him from prison asking him to get you a revolver?

Mason: There is not a word of truth in that. Mason said that he came to London and went straight to see a man named Nunn in Webber-road, Blackfriars, and from him obtained Vivian's address. Witness said that on the following Monday, May 7, he saw Vivian, who looked very tired, with a box of cartridges. He told Vivian he would not go home with him if he carried such things, and Vivian then put them away and afterwards told him that he had disposed of the cartridges.

Counsel: Have you ever, in the whole of your life, had a revolver in your possession?—Never.

The following morning he went to see Vivian, and there was a conversation about a jemmy

#### "A DETECTIVE WOULD KNOW."

Vivian put the jemmy in his breast pocket, buttoned his jacket, and asked witness if it showed.

Witness replied that it did not show very much, but that a detective would know the outline of it.

Later on Tuesday they went out at eleven o'clock to Blackfriars and saw Nunn. Witness had known Nunn for two years, and Vivian also knew him. Nunn had helped him a great deal since he had been inside prison.

He did not get a revolver from him, nor was there any mention of one. In the afternoon they went to the Crystal Palace again by bus and returned about eleven o'clock, and witness went back to his hotel.

At this point the trial was adjourned until to-day.

## CONCERT TO AID WIDOW

Influential Support for Plan to Increase Berryman Fund.

In connection with *The Daily Mirror* fund in aid of Mrs. Berryman and her four young children who were left totally unprovided for by the tragic death of their husband in the Mells Colliery, near Frome, a concert is being organised by Miss Ray Pozner.

It will be held at the Hampstead Conservatoire on Saturday, October 6. The artists will all give their services free, and not a penny will be deducted for expenses.

Miss Pozner has already had so many promises of influential support that the success of the concert is assured. Further particulars and tickets will be available shortly. The money received for tickets will be forwarded to the Rev. E. R. Oxby, the Vicarage, Coleford, the treasurer of the fund.

### TO-DAY'S RADIO.

**LONDON** (369 metres).—11.30, Miss Mary Carrick (varieté); 5.30, women's hour; "Fruit and a Long Life," by Dr. Josiah Oldfield; 6, children's hour; 7.30, orchestra, 8, news; 8.15, Miss A. A. Needham (piano-forte); 8.30, orchestra; 9, orchestra; 9.15, clarinet trio; 9.30, orchestra; 10, men's hour; 10.15, orchestra, 10.20, news.

**CARDIFF** (354 metres).—3.30, orchestra; 5.30, women's hour; "Fruit and a Long Life," by Dr. Josiah Oldfield; 6, children's hour; 7, orchestra; 7.15, chat on "Astronomy"; 7.25, violin solo; 7.35, orchestra; 7.50, news; 8.30, orchestra; 8.40, songs by Miss Cilia; 9.15, men's hour; 9, Miss C. Giles; 9.30, orchestra; 9.30, chat on "Wireless for Amateurs"; 9.30, Miss C. Giles; 3.15, news; 9.55, dance music.

## HOTEL TRAGEDY.

Mme. Fahmy Tells Her Story to Doctor.

### "DEATH THREAT."

(Continued from page 2.)

Witness said he proceeded along the corridor, but when he had gone about fifteen yards he heard three shots fired. Stepping quickly back, he saw madam throw a revolver away.

"I went towards madam and she came towards me," continued Beattie. "I pushed past her and picked up the revolver, which I placed in the luggage lift. She followed me, talking all the time in French, which I could not understand."

"I took her by the wrists and led her towards the staircase to detain her. I sent for the doctor. Then someone came down and I let go of her. She leaned over the body of the deceased, saying something in French."

Witness added that all this was going on while the tremendous thunderstorm was raging.

Dr. J. F. G. Green of Southampton-street, Strand, and Miss Fahmy, had been a patient of Vivian. She was suffering from external haemorrhoids, a very painful complaint, and he was treating her by medical means.

He next saw her at 2.30 a.m. on Tuesday morning in the suite with a police-sergeant. She said that she had shot at her husband, and he had been taken away, and asked what on earth would happen.

At Bow-street Police Station Mme. Fahmy told the witness exactly what had happened since he had seen her in the morning.

She said she had told her husband of the arrangement for her to go into a nursing home, and that he refused to pay a penny to the nursing home or to accept responsibility because, he said, it was an attempt on her part to escape from him. She said she was returning to her family in Paris, and that she could have the operation performed there.

Conor: Did not she say that her husband had threatened to kill her if she left him?

Witness: Yes. If she left him at all, not necessarily by going to Paris.

Divisional Detective-Inspector Grossé said that after being cautioned at Bow-street Police Station and told she would be charged with the murder of her husband, Mme. Fahmy said to him through an interpreter: "I told the police I did not. I have told the truth. It does not matter."

"He has assaulted me in front of many people since we have been married. He has told me many times to kill him, and many people have heard him say so."

### BABY DANCERS.

Princess Mary Sees a Medley of Colour and Youthful Beauty.

Princess Mary, wearing a pretty mauve frock and hat, sat fanning herself with a programme yesterday afternoon in a box at Wyndham's Theatre while watching the children's dancing matinee in aid of the Great Ormond-street Hospital for Children.

The spectacle on the stage was a delightful medley of colour and youthful beauty. The dancers, pupils of Miss Vacani, ranged from self conscious tots of three years to blithe little fairies dressed in elaborate costumes.

Among them were the daughter of the Marchioness of Headfort, the children of the Marchioness of Litchfield, the Countess of Courtown's daughter, the Countess of Halsbury's daughter, the two children of the Viscountess Bury, Viscountess Curzon's daughter and the children of the Lady Theo Cadogan.

Many fashionable people occupied the stalls and boxes. Lady Diana Duff Cooper sold programmes.

### M.P.s IN FILM.

Striking Scene of Government Defeat on Singapore Naval Base.

A Government defeat on the Singapore naval base question forms a striking incident in a film taken in a replica House of Commons built at the studios at Islington yesterday.

The defeat was due to a brilliant speech by Squibs M.P., the Opposition in a snap division getting a majority of 100 votes.

Miss Betty Balfour, the star, actually made a speech about Singapore to a "crowded" House, and Sir William Bull and Commander Hughes, both of whom voted against the Government, were filmed on the front Opposition bench.

Sir William Bull told *The Daily Mirror* that he thought the scene was well staged, but he suggested that a few more upstarts should be placed behind the Speaker's Chair to give the impression of an exciting night.

### THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

By Our City Editor

Markets showed a distinctly better tone to-day. That was due to a general upturn of the market, the favouring factor being anticipation that Mr. Baldwin's statement to-night will have good influence on international situations.

Gilt-edged securities closed dull (*Conversions* 773, War Loan 99 15-16), but there was otherwise general improvement. Long-life stocks all advanced, notably Metropolis 99, Balfour 100, and the like. The market was 10 points up, closing 2 5-8 per cent. French bonds were all better following France's recovery to 79-85. Marks rallied to 90-90 1/2.

Industrial stocks showed general advances. Lyons rose to 90s, but Aerated were dull 27s. In newspaper group Amalg. from 90s to 47s 6d. Associated deferred to 8 3-4. Morris 14 1/2.



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## LADIES' MIRROR

### CUT-IN-HALF FROCKS—PLEATLESS PLEATS.

THE smartest afternoon frocks are still of the cut-in-half variety, and consequently trying wear for any but the divinely tall and most divinely slim. Skirts are quite plain and just pleated; that is all that is expected of a skirt these days, but the top is very ornamental.

#### BEADWORK OR STITCHERY.

The blouse top is rather full, and caught into an embroidered hip band. This is covered all over in fine stitchery, or sequins forming some pattern, or bead work. If you don't have the embroidered blouse you have printed silk or a lovely cool-looking flowered minon.

#### USEFUL CAPE.

Sometimes a collar-cape, finely pleated, is attached where the bodice is sleeveless, and this is a good idea. If you don't care to venture out of doors with quite bare arms, you find it very useful, and it is easily thrown back when you get indoors again.

#### PLEATLESS PLEATS.

I was shown a novelty the other day in georgette and crépe-de-Chine dresses. Simply pleats that are not pleats. Accordion pleating that has been calmly ironed out so that only a flat suggestion of pleats remains. Very new and smart; so the next time you and your new pleated frock get caught in a shower, don't despair—a truly fashionable appearance will be yours.



Sand-coloured taffeta allied to white cotton lace is an after-happy noon best frock.

#### BOLERO.

A particularly pretty pleated white muslin dress had what appeared to be a little bolero of black lace, each band being loosely stitched on to the dress. Accompanying it was a crisp little hat of black taffeta, with a few realistic red currants dripping off the brim.—PHILLIDA.



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# THUNDERSTORM DELAYS RACING AT PONTEFRACT

**Narrow Defeat of the King's China Orange.**

**BECKETT SIGNS.**

**Prospects of the Eton and Harrow Cricket Match.**

Local thunderstorms only affected the racing at Pontefract. Salisbury and the cricket matches were immune from the visitation, an expected part of the present heat wave. Racing was interesting at both centres, and as backers fairly held their own with the ring, holiday-makers had an enjoyable and not unduly expensive afternoon. Chief features of yesterday's sport were—

**Racing.**—Both the King's filly, China Orange, and Lord Lascelles' Advantage were narrowly beaten at Pontefract. Iturra had an easy chance in the Champagne Stakes at Salisbury.

**Cricket.**—Kent beat Gloucester at Tunbridge Wells by 10 wickets, Freeman taking 6 wickets for 34. Essex put up a good score at Manchester.

## LINGFIELD TO-DAY.

**Westmead's Chance in £1,000 Prize—Small Pontefract Fields.**

By BOUVERIE.

With a £1,000 race as the chief attraction, Lingfield Park offers some interesting sport this afternoon; albeit it is very doubtful if fields will be on the scale usually associated with this Surrey meeting.

Certainly the Park Stakes will not attract many runners. Neither Pondoland nor Holy Friar will run for Mr. Sol Joel; Teresina is in reserve for the Eclipse Stakes and Putenden will also be an absentee.

'Free from Pride'—the only runner from Newmarket—should give a good account of himself, but I regard the race as virtually a match

<b>SELECTIONS FOR LINGFIELD.</b>	
1.50—PURSE PROUD.	3.20—NOUS VERRONS.
2.20—VARAINE.	3.50—TILIA.
2.50—WESTMEAD.	4.20—TERRE FERME.
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2.15—GALLANT STAR.	1.45—INDIARUS.
3.15—DRUID'S ORB.	4.10—BLACK MINER.
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between Collaborator and Westmead, with a preference for the last-named as being the more dependable of the pair.

The Summer Handicap is also a story of non-runners. Thoughtless, Flint Jack, Ardavon, Sorrel, Tomahawk, Tomatin and Delvine are only a few who will stay away, and it appears that Nous Verrons will not have a lot to do to beat the remainder. Stanley Wootton's four-year-old was a bit unlucky at Sandown.

**TILIA AGAIN FANCIED.**

Captain Honfleur's colours always dangerous at Lingfield, will be carried by Wayward colt in the Jacks Bridge Plate, but I am doubtful if he will be good enough to beat Tilta, who represents F. Darling in preference to several others.

In the circumstances, it appears that Newmarket's best chance of winning a race rests with Terre Ferme, who, with the benefit of all the allowances, should beat Oriel in the Oak Tree Maiden Plate.

Druid's Orb has gone North for the Prince of Wales Plate at Pontefract, and there is not much doubt that he will credit Lord Blandford with three nice performances.

Altogether, the programme for the concluding stage is rather lacking in distinction, and this week has certainly not proved that Pontefract can justify a three-day meeting.

Gallant Spear, a distinctly moderate horse, is fancied under nearly top-weight in the Brackenhurst Handicap, and a very small field is likely for the £500 Kilnwick Handicap.

## COURSE AND TRAINING NEWS.

Points from Tattersall's, the Track and the Paddock.

The Ebor Handicap—no longer "Great"—has closed with thirty-six entries.

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Bright Eyes, in the Oak Tree Plate, will be D. Waugh's only runner at Lingfield.

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Victor Smyth rides Ardzarel colt in the Jacks Bridge Plate at Lingfield this afternoon.

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Pivotal was bought in for 200 guineas after winning the Innkeepers' Handicap at Pontefract yesterday.

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After finishing third to Click and Stanhope at Salisbury yesterday, Barnadale filly was sold to Mr. T. Edge for 110 guineas.

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Forsal Glade, engaged in the Kilnwick Handicap to-day, is in reserve for the Histon Handicap at Newmarket next week.



Major Wilson, who has succeeded in getting Beckett to agree to £2,000 forfeit.

Philip Mead, who scored 147 for Hampshire at Brighton yesterday.

## SO NEAR AND YET—

**Narrow Defeats for China Orange and Advantage at Pontefract.**

Little more than the length of a walking-stick prevented a splendid double for the royal stable at Pontefract yesterday. And to add to the excitement, both the King's filly, China Orange, and Lord Lascelles' Advantage held the lead until the last few strides.

But the racing did not provide all the thrills for the big crowd, who came armed with parasols, umbrellas and Panama hats to defend the heat.

While the horses were going to the post for the Park Lane Plate terrific claps of thunder were heard, and shortly afterwards it commenced to rain.

Herbert Jones dashed China Orange to the front and kept until the distance was reached. Then the King's filly, China Orange, took a short sharp lunge ended in favour of Lord Dunham's youngster by a neck. Both ran their race in very game fashion in view of the blinding rain.

Younger runners, rare and unaccustomed were in evidence, while numbers went west for the Great West Riding Handicap, and so bad was the rain that the Stewards gave permission for the start to be delayed until it abated.

## HIGHCLIFFE'S HEAD VICTORY.

Little Morris on Advantage quickly established a six-lengths' lead with Highcliffie lying handy. At the finish, Highcliffie had drawn nearer and won in a great race home. Highcliffie got the better of the finish by a head. Silver Band made up a lot of ground in the straight and finished third.

Dinner Plate was the winner at Epsom—added to Stanley Wootton's many recent successes by running away with the Alexandra Handicap.

Stanley Wootton's Captain Hogg is on the flood-tide of success, and now his Son has added to the stable's successes by following up Alexandra Park win in the Arlington Plate at Salisbury.

The Sh. penalty earned on Saturday was neutralised, which stands to the allowance, and the youngster after Hidesaway had looked all over a winner.

Hidesaway reported a doubtful starter in the morning, turned up right enough for the Champagne Stakes, and did something to wipe out her Ascot and down-defeats by winning very easily.

On the Down Handicap, was probably upset by the long delay at the post. At any rate, she made no show and Double Bloom scored comfortably.

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Gallant Spear, a distinctly moderate horse, is fancied under nearly top-weight in the Brackenhurst Handicap, and a very small field is likely for the £500 Kilnwick Handicap.

## SIX DAYS' CYCLE RACE.

Entirely New Turns Being Made for Olympia Track.

The six-day cycle track at Olympia is having entirely new turns put in at both the ends that were affected.

All the riders are remaining in London, and the start will start next Sunday at five minutes past midnight.

The promoters feel confident that on a perfect track, when sprinting is possible, the race will be well supported by the public.

## CYCLING AT FALLOWFIELD.

Ten Miles Race for New Muratti Gold Cup To-morrow.

A splendid entry has been received for the wheelers' meet at Fallowfield (Manchester) to-morrow, when the principal attraction will be the inaugural race for the new Muratti Gold Cup.

Meanwhile, the twenty-five miles cycling champion, won the same race last year, but he will have to do something very remarkable if he is to beat tomorrow's ten miles race, for among the entrants are George Owen, J. F. Sibbit, F. G. Owen, B. J. Donnelly, H. Pryor and W. G. Stewart.

The Ebor Handicap—no longer "Great"—has closed with thirty-six entries.

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Bright Eyes, in the Oak Tree Plate, will be D. Waugh's only runner at Lingfield.

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Victor Smyth rides Ardzarel colt in the Jacks Bridge Plate at Lingfield this afternoon.

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Card for Opening of Meeting—  
Newmarket's Best.

## SALISBURY RESULTS.

There is racing to-day at Lingfield and Pontefract, the principal event being the former meeting being the Lingfield Park Stakes.

To-day's Lingfield programme and yesterday's Salisbury returns are appended.

1.50—WINTER HANICAP, 3 sovs. 7/-

Punk ... Esterboe 3 9 10 G.W.Dale II. L.S'w'd 4 8 0

The Baillif ... Uncle Dan 3 7 13 Uncle Mac's McCol 3 8 0

Holy Star ... M.H'xas 3 7 7 Prolific ... Woootton 3 7 13

Margolin ... K'nt 3 7 13

Above arrived ... The Knight W'dland 5 7 12

Ch'k a Penny 5 7 12

Swallowtail 5 7 12

Damz ... Dale 4 7 13

Kalikaris ... Wood 3 7 10

Tobermory ... Woootton 3 9 5

Louise ... G.P'le 3 7 10

Knockaway ... Star 3 8 11

Camarazama H'ms 6 8 11

B'k Magic Hastings 6 8 10

Youn ... L'k 3 8 11

Vernena 3 8 8

Spempolin ... Turner 4 7 5

Tipper ... Pickering 3 8 9

Monogram 3 8 9

Firedrake D.Wauq 4 7 5

Zephyr ... Wilmet 6 8 7

Bonnie ... Prat 6 8 7

Annam ... Bletoe 4 8 5

Fancy Boy ... G.P'le 5 8 5

Bally ... G.P'le 5 8 5

Wee Man ... Sheddies 8 8 4

Coriolis ... G.Bennet 6 8 3

Clip ... Star 3 8 11

Karola ... C.Wangh 3 8 11

Kiwi ... B.Jarris 5 8 1

Financier ... G.C'nt 6 8 11

Frontline ... G.C'nt 6 8 11

Darkness ... Morris 4 8 0

Abel ... Morris 4 8 0

2.20—BATNERS PLATE, 300 sovs; 5/-

Little Hunter ... Cottrill 4 9 0

Lugano ... B'kland-Rochfort 2 7 8

Caniego ... Reardon 9 0

Bordello ... Tabor 9 0

Angoni ... Tabor 9 0

Vivian ... W.Nightingale 9 0

Dante ... B'kland-Rochfort 9 0

Noisy Gyster ... Pickering 9 0

Nodd Order ... Prat 9 0

Bungle ... B'kland-Rochfort 9 0

Purple Image ... Esterboe 8 11

Heck ... Barling 8 11

Windward ... Morris 8 11

Lady Zero ... Norcott 8 11

Miss Kitchen ... E.M'tin 8 11

Whiff ... B'kland-Rochfort 8 11

Ulster Queen I ... Plat 8 11

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2.50—LINGFIELD PARK STAKES, 1,000 sovs; 5/-

Collaborator ... Plat 4 9 3

Westmed ... Cottrill 4 9 0

Alpinette ... Cottrill 4 9 0

Free F'm P'e T'w'hs 3 7 8

Above arrived ... Holy Friar De'Mstre 3 7 13

Richard L ... Taylor 3 7 11

Red Snipe ... Taylor 3 7 11

Sister ... S'ns J.Rewick 7 8

Pendoland De'Mstre 4 9 6

Puttenden ... Taylor 4 9 6

Teresina ... Terrian 4 9 6

Short head; three (Lines).

Erid ... F'nt 4 9 6

Purple Image ... Esterboe 8 11

Charley ... Hogg 7 8

Discoverer ... Princeton 7 8

Gibson ... Gibson 7 8

Militaire ... F.Scott 8 7

3.20—SUMMER HANICAP STAKES, 3 sovs, with 300 added; 5/-

Bearna's A.Gordon 5 7 10

Above arrived ... Alan Andrew C'Dell 5 7 10

Thoughtless ... O.Bell 6 9 2

Flint Jack ... O'Bell 6 9 2

Anderson ... E.Darling 6 9 2

Merripli ... Scourfield 8 8 9

Tomahawk N'gall 8 8 9

Star ... D.W'kland-Rochfort 8 8 9

Herod Queen B'kland-Rochfort 8 8 9

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Arden ... B'kland-Rochfort 8 8 9

Calvert ... Hogg 9 5

Dagmar ... Pope 11

Baron McDonald ... F'nt 8 8 11

Hannibal ... Taylor 8 8 11

Axon ... Faulkner 8 8 11

Longcoat ... Lines 8 11

Above arrived ...

Dry Moat ... Cottrill 9 7

Dusky Bravado 9 0

All Around ... B'kland-Rochfort 9 0

Soldier ... Taylor 9 0

Crusader's Pet ... R.Day 8 11

Diameter ... O.Bell 9 0

Santa Claus ... Mrs'nt 9 0

Mandebu ... Lamton 9 0

Tolling Tessie ... Hyams 8 11

Foulstan ... Dundas 9 0

Fomme Royale J.Jarvis 8 11

Perfect Form ... Taylor 6 11

Fair Charlotte ... Butter 6 11

Peter's Sister ... Cuniffle 8 11

Swallowtail ... Cottrill 8 11

Putlandy ... D'Darling 8 11

Proposition ... D'S'nt 8 11

Holy Biddy ... Pte 8 11

Strasny ... T'w'hs 8 11

Terre Ferme ... B.Jarvis 8 11

See Bird ... Morton 8 11

Berengaria ... F.Darling 8 11

4.20—OAK TREE MAIDEN, 200 sovs; 5/-

Griz ... Hogg 9 7

Sunblair ... Watts 3 0

Brown ... F'nt 9 0

O'Brien ... O'Bell 9 0

Bright Eyes ... Daughn 8 11

Terre Ferme ... Gilpin 8 11

Above arrived ...

Marvin ... Tash 9 12

Second Crop ... Cottrill 9 12

Sundrop ... S'nt 9 12

Sees ... Hogg 9 12

Two ... Q'ty & R'nt 8 11

Bad Dame ... R.Dawson 9 0

Rebel ... H'nt 8 11

Horizon ... R.Sherwood 8 11

Rebel ... H'nt 8 11

L'Aiglon ... R.March 8 11

Santorb ... F'Hartigan 8 0

Arausio ... Cottrill 8 0

The Borderer ... Peacock 8 0

Zelt ... R.W'kland-Rochfort 8 0

Rebel ... R.W'kland-Rochfort 8 0

Pip Chased by a Sheep: See Page 13

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NET SALE MUCH THE LARGEST OF ANY DAILY PICTURE NEWSPAPER



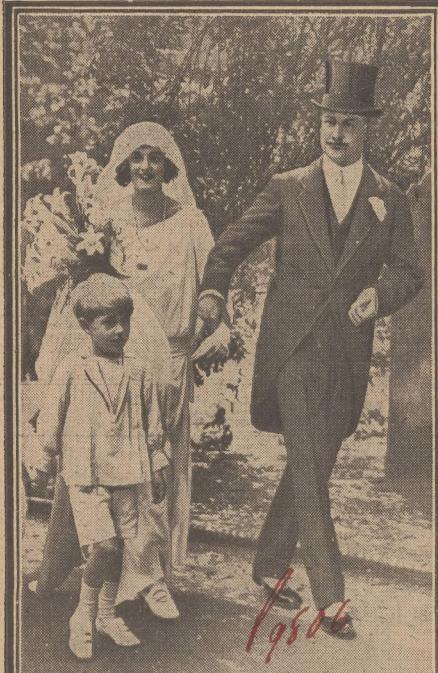
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A very funny Pip and—

## PRINCE OF WALES AS GODFATHER AT CHRISTENING



The Prince of Wales talking to the Rev. H. R. L. Sheppard as he leaves St. Martin-in-the-Fields after the christening of the baby daughter (inset) of Lord and Lady Victor Paget (left). The Prince was a godfather, and Mrs. Dudley Ward was one of the godmothers.—(Exclusive photograph.)



**PEER'S LILY BRIDE.**—Lord Belper, with his bride, Miss Angela Tollemache and her page, Master Alastair Cameron, leaving Chapel Royal, Savoy, after a service yesterday. They were married earlier at Henrietta-street register office.



**OUR BUSY PREMIER.**—Mr. Baldwin, the Prime Minister, leaving Downing-street for the House of Commons yesterday to make his important speech on the Ruhr.

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS PRIZEWINNERS



The Eton College rifle shooting team who won the Ashburton Shield, the most coveted of the public school trophies, at Bisley yesterday. Schools from England, Scotland and Jersey were among the competitors.



**MURDER TRIAL DRAMA.**—Eddie Vivian, who, when continuing his evidence at the taxicab murder trial yesterday, was asked by counsel, "I put it to you—that you fired the revolver and murdered him (Dickey)," Vivian replied, "It is a deliberate lie." He had previously stated that he was in bed on the night of the tragedy. Hetty Colquhoun (right), who was living with Vivian, said she left him ill in bed at 7.30 that evening.



**THE MERRY WIDOW.**—Miss Evelyn Laye, who is playing lead in "The Merry Widow," comes to grief during fun at her birthday party yesterday.